PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)		
SUSUMU YASUDA, ET AL.	;	Examiner: Denise S. Allen Group Art Unit: 2872	
Application No.; 09/654,394	;		
Filed: September 1, 2000	;		
For: ELECTROMAGNETIC ACTUATOR, MANUFACTURING METHOD AND OPTICAL SCANNER USING THE ELECTROMAGNETIC ACTUATOR) :)	March 31, 2004	

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for taking further action one (1) additional month, from March 1, 2004, up to and including April 1, 2004.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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